CANADIAN SHIELD
REGIONAL COUNCIL
The United Church of Canada

Affirming Ministry Resource Team

Position:

- Seeking five (5) members
- Representation from Sudbury and surrounding area and Timmins and surrounding area (but not limited to) would be welcomed

General Description:

The Affirming Ministry Team is responsible for guiding the Regional Council through the required Affirm United process to be recognized as an Affirming Ministry and to hold the Regional Council toits commitment made in the process.

Membership:

- Member or adherent of a community of faith within the bounds of the Regional Council.

Responsibilities:

- Review the required Affirmed United process;
- Develop and set a timeline for the regional Council's process to being recognized as an Affirming Ministry;
- Guide the regional Council through the process;
- Give to support and act as a resource to communities of faith within the bounds of the regional council who are seeking to be recognized as an Affirming Ministry;
- Assist in the creation of an Affirming Ministry network across the region;
- Accountable to the Regional Council and its Executive.

Skills / Interests:

- Access to internet and e-mail;
- Ability to use (or willingness to learn) technology as a tool for meetings;
- Commitment to living into the United Church's vision of being and inclusive and loving church;
- Interested in building an Affirming Ministry network within the region, as well as broadeningthe network to include Shining Waters Regional Council.

Time Commitment:

- Minimum 1 meeting annually ~ 2 - 3 hours through technology, more as needed.

Support:

- Primary support is the Regional Council Executive.

To nominate someone or to self-nominate for an Affirming Ministry Resource Team Member position, go to the CSRC website at: www.canadianshieldrc.ca